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Sir:

In response to the second non-final Office Action mailed May 2, 2002, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified patent application in view of the following remarks. Applicant would also like to thank the Examiner for withdrawing the finality of the previous office action and for fully considering Applicant's previous arguments and Declaration under 37 C.F.R. 1.132.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 6 and 7 as follows:

6. (Once Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein said anion exchange resin comprises Sepharose and a diethyl aminoethyl ion exchange group.